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## **RESPONSE**

In response to the action mailed December 18, 2002, Applicants elect species 7a. Applicants believe this election covers claims 1-30.

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Respectfully submitted,

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